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TAGS: PINS SF PINT

SUBJECT: MASHININI SECRETLY RETURNS TO SOUTHERN AFRICA

REF: JOHANNESBURG A-3

1. SOURCE HAS CONFIRMED THAT REFUGEE MILITANT STUDENT LEADER TSIETSI MASHININI IS IN BOTSWANA, HAVING SECRETLY ARRIVED IN LAST FEW DAYS. MASHININI IS PUBLIC ENEMY NUMBER ONE AMONG SOWETO STUDENTS AS FAR AS SOUTH AFRICAN SECURITY POLICE ARE CONCERNED. HE IS WANTED FOR MURDER OF WEST RAND ADMINISTRATION BOARD OFFICIAL DURING JUNE RIOTS AND IS CONSIDERED FOUNDER OF SSRC BORNE OF JUNE RIOTS. MASHININI HAS BEEN IN CONTACT WITH SSRC (SOWETO STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL) AND WORD IS THAT MASHININI WILL ATTEMPT TO SLIP BACK INTO SOUTH AFRICA.

2. MASHININI'S TRIP MAY HAVE SOME CONNECTION WITH
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MCPHERSON MOROBE'S RECENT DETENTION (SEE REPAIR) AND WITH RECENT PROBLEMS SSRC HAS ENCOUNTERED. SPECULATION HAS IT THAT MOSCOW ORIENTED LONDON-BASED ANC MAY HAVE SENT MASHININI BACK TO SOUTH AFRICA TO REVIVE FLAGGING ANC TIES WITH MILITANT YOUTH.
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